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March 11, 2010

Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

RE: Notice of Ex Parte Communication
MB Docket No. 08-82, CSR-7947-Z
GN Docket Nos. 09-51 and 09-191
WC Docket No. 07-52

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On March 10, 2010, the undersigned of this Firm, together with A. Robert Pisano and Michael O'Leary of the Motion Picture Association of America, Inc. ("MPAA"), met with Edward Lazarus of the Commission to discuss matters relating to the use of selectable output control ("SOC") technology, to the National Broadband Plan, and to the open Internet rulemaking, as part of the above-referenced proceedings.

With respect to SOC, we discussed the arguments made in MPAA's waiver petition, submitted to the Commission on May 9, 2008, and its reply comments in the proceeding, submitted to the Commission on July 31, 2008. The petition and reply comments explained that the pro-consumer purpose of the requested waiver is to enable movie studios to offer millions of Americans in-home access to high-value, high definition video content. We urged prompt action by the Commission on this matter.

With respect to the National Broadband Plan, we discussed the points made in MPAA's comments filed as part of this proceeding on October 30, 2009. We explained that intellectual property theft and piracy are an acute and growing problem with respect to content distributed online. We also pointed out that the

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threat of theft poses a significant risk to the Administration's and Congress' goals for ubiquitous nationwide broadband adoption. In addition, we inquired about how the draft Broadband Plan intends to address the protection of intellectual property online, and urged that the Plan include balanced recommendations with respect to copyright issues.

Finally, with respect to the open Internet rulemaking, we discussed the points made in MPAA's comments filed as part of these proceedings including, specifically, the role that protection of content online plays in broadband adoption. We also inquired about the Commission's plans in connection with the proposed new rule regarding nondiscrimination and "managed" or "specialized" services. We indicated that there appears to be a lot of confusion about how the Commission intends to draw the line between these two categories.

This letter is being submitted electronically in the above-referenced dockets, which have been granted permit-but-disclose status, pursuant to Section 1.1206(b) of the Commission's Rules. Should you have any questions concerning this submission, kindly contact the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

/s/

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